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Dear [redacted]

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This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of 6 March 1948. Certainly I do not object to such promotional letters, and I think a friendly rivalry between field stations is a very healthy situation. The impressive role played by Kauai monitoring in the Far East Section of the Daily Report is fully appreciated here. Any issue will show a much larger number of Hs than of Ps, Ts, or Ws. Comparison between Kauai and Portland, however, may be somewhat misleading since many factors enter into the situation. They are devoting considerable effort to monitoring programs which you cannot cover and, of course, we are anxious to avoid duplication wherever possible which I know is not nearly perfect but which I think we are improving as time goes on.

I shall be leaving for London and Cyprus on the 11th and [redacted] will be in charge during my absence of approximately five weeks.

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Sincerely,

**L. K. WHITE
Chief, FBIS**

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